State Special Education Advisory Committee (SSEAC) Agenda for April 26-28, 2006

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Wednesday, April 26 - Evening Meeting for Selected Subcommittees

5:30 – 6:30 PM Executive Subcommittee ¹ Meeting	
6:30 – 8:00 PM Dinner and Meetings of Ad Hoc Subco 1. Personnel 2. Data and Reports 3. Constituency Involvement	

4. Autism

Thursday, April 27

8:00 AM	Continental Breakfast
8:30	Call to Order, Welcome and Introductions
8:30 – 10:15	Presentation for SSEAC Action: 1. Response to Intervention Follow-up o Pre-referral Initiatives (Cindy Cave, Paul Raskopf)
10:15 – 10:30	Break
10:30 – 11:30	Assistant Superintendent's Report and General Assembly Update (Doug Cox)
11:30 – 12:00 Noon	Public Comment (refer to SSEAC Public Comment Guidelines)

¹ Executive Subcommittee – Charlene Christopher (Chair), Leslie Snyder, Anne Fischer, Emily Dreyfus, Carmen Sanchez, Mike Behrmann

² Refer to Subcommittee Assignment List

12:00 – 1:00 PM	Lunch
1:00 – 2:15	 Business Session: Approval of Minutes Slate of Officers for Executive Subcommittee Committee Operational Procedures & Public Comment Guidelines 2nd Draft Review
2:15 – 2:30	Break
2:30 – 4:00	Ad Hoc Subcommittee Reports and Discussion
4:00 – 4:30	Recognition of Departing Members
4:30	Adjourn – Dinner on Your Own

April 27 Evening Public Forum

6:30 – 8:00 PM Public Forum:

The SSEAC welcomes local special education advisory committee representatives and others for informal discussion.

Friday, April 28

8:00 AM	Continental Breakfast
8:30	Call to Order
8:30 – 9:30	 Informational Presentations: 1. Local Special Education Advisory Committee Effectiveness Project Update (Judy Hudgins) 2. Assistive Technology Update (Pat Abrams for John Eisenberg, Mike Behrmann)
9:30 - 10:00	Constituency Reports
10:00 – 10:15	Break
10:15 – 11:30	Public Comment Follow-Up
	Future Meeting Agenda Discussion
11:30	Adjourn
11:30 – 12:00 Noon	Executive Subcommittee Meeting for Future Agenda

Ad Hoc Subcommittee Assignments

Personnel: Cindy Mills, Rick Richardson, Mike Behrmann (Staff – Pat Burgess)

Data & Reports: Emily Dreyfus, David Martin, Mike Wong, Carmen Sanchez, Jacqueline Nelson, Tamara Temoney, (Staff – Paul Raskopf)

Constituency Involvement: Anne Fischer, Leslie Snyder, Linda Richardson, Peter Squire (Staff – Judy Hudgins)

Autism: Heidi Lawyer, Stacie Ellis, Suzanne Conroy, Mary Ann Discenza (Staff – Marie Ireland or Pat Abrams)

Directions to the April 2006 SSEAC Meeting

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